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## **8<sup>th</sup> August 2025, Term 3, Newsletter 1**

### **Parents and Caregivers of Glenview School**

**Tēnā koutou, Talofa lava, Kia orana, Talofa ni, Hello, Salaam Alaikum**

Glenview has a reputation across Aotearoa, and even internationally, for its positive school culture and lack of class disruptions.

However, we all know 'kids will be kids' and sometimes we need to remind and reinforce our high expectations.

We can't respond to things we don't know about.

Whenever we do know about children acting in a way that doesn't reflect our MANA values we follow up and address the issue.

Please encourage your children to let their teacher know if something happens that upsets them.

If you still have concerns after this:

- Please talk to the classroom teacher
- If after this your concerns remain then please talk to me (Whaea Lynda: Principal)
- If you are still not happy you can express your concern to our Board of Trustees. Our current chairperson is Josiah Foua.



### **Staff Union Meeting – Friday 22 August**



On Friday 22 August all staff will be attending a union meeting in the afternoon.  
We are asking families to collect children at 1pm.

The school van will drop children home from 1pm.

If you have any questions or are unable to collect your children early, please contact the school office. Some non-teaching staff will remain on site



### **Cultural Assembly this Friday**

This Friday we will be celebrating the following languages and cultures: Cook Island Māori, Arabic, Filipino, English and Burmese in our Assembly.

All are welcome to join us for our assembly which starts at 12:15 pm in the Wharenui.

Children are welcome to wear cultural dress or preferred clothing for this event.



### **Do we have your correct details**



It is really important for us to have as many valid contact (and emergency) telephone or cell phone details as possible.

If you know that you have changed your address or phone number or your emergency contacts have changed numbers, please contact the school office so we can update your records.

### **BOT Elections**

We have a triennial Board of Trustees (BOT) election coming up in September (this term).

Our election day is September 15<sup>th</sup>

Nominations will close on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> August at 3pm

Nominations and voting all take place online.

Watch out for emails from our returning officer ([returningofficer@myschoolelection.nz](mailto:returningofficer@myschoolelection.nz)) to check that your contact details are correct.



### **Attendance**

Please remember to let the office know **by 9am** if your child is away or running late for any reason.



The best ways to contact us is:

- Skool Loop - Use the absentee tab
- Phone - 2377123 and press '1' for attendance
- Txt - 021 08876066
- Facebook - Send us a message

### Dates to Remember:

- Friday 15 August** - Language weeks assembly at 12:15pm  
**Friday 22 August** - Staff Union Meetings. Please pick up your children at 1pm  
**Friday 19 September** - Last day of term  
**Monday 6 October** - Term 3 starts



### Fundraiser for Lupe Class's trip to the Snow

## **Vahega o Lupe Fundraising**

for our trip to the snow

Only 100  
suppers  
available

### **\$20 supper**

**Chopsuey**  
**Potato salad**  
**Seafood salad**  
**Chicken drumstick**  
**Lamb chop**  
**Beef sausage**  
**Bottle of water**

Suppers will be available for pick up at  
**1pm on Friday 22 August from Matauala Hall.**

Please contact: Tufaina Faraimo 0272056289 for your orders.  
Fakafetai lahi lele for your support!

### Did you know?

Honeybees are fab flyers.

They fly at a speed of around 25km per hour and beat their wings 200 times per second!

